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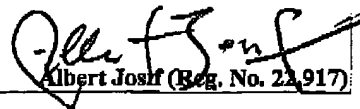
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:)
Applicant: Giovanni MANFRÉ *et al.*)
Ser. No.: 09/533,215) Group Art Unit: 2872
Filed: March 23, 2000) Examiner: SHAFER, RICKY D
For: Vehicle Rear-View Mirror with ...)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir,

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136

The applicant herewith petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office action dated June 14, 2005 for one month from September 14, 2005 to October 14, 2005. Please charge the deposit account number 13-3860 of applicant's agent of record, in the amount of US\$ 60.00 (fee code 2251) to cover the cost of the extension. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to the above numbered deposit account.

RESPONSE

this is in response to the Office Action dated June 14, 2005.
Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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